



FOOD GRADE STATEMENT

CLEARFLEX CH G0, MQ F0, MP D0

Our mentioned products, as supplied in original packaging, comply by composition with the regulations currently in force for plastic materials intended to come into contact with foodstuffs in the following Countries:

- **Italy:** Decreto Ministeriale 21.03.73 "Disciplina igienica degli imballaggi, recipienti, utensili destinati a venire a contatto con le sostanze alimentari e le sostanze d'uso personale" and following amendments.
- **Germany:** Bedarfsgegenständeverordnung von 30.11.2006 and following amendments.
- **Austria:** Kunststoffverordnung 2003, BGBl. teil II 476/2003 and following amendments.
- **France:** Applicable regulations published in the Brochure N°1227. Arrêté du 02.01.2003 "Matériaux et objets en matière plastique mis ou destinés à être mis au contact des denrées, produits et boissons alimentaires" and following amendments.
- **The Netherlands:** Verpakkingen en Gebruikaartikelen Besluit (Warenwet) 21/08/1991 and following amendments.
- **Belgium:** Arrêté Royal 11 Mai 1992 "Materiaux et object destines a entrer en contact avec les denrées alimentaires" and following amendments. Arrêté Royal 3 juillet 2005 and following amendments.
- **United Kingdom:** Statutory Instrument 2002, No. 2364 "The Plastic Materials and Articles in Contact with Food, Regulations 2002" and following amendments. Statutory Instrument 2009, No. 2938 (England).
- **Spain:** Real Decreto 118/2003 of 31.01.2003 and following amendments. Real Decreto 103/2009 of 06.02.2009.
- **Switzerland:** RS 817.023.21 "Ordinanza del Dipartimento Federale dell'Interno sui materiali e oggetti in materia plastica" dated 23.11.2005.
- **USA:** Code of Federal Regulations, 2010 Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Title 21 §177.1520 (Olefin polymers) – paragraph (c) point 3.1.a. Do not comply with the extraction test requirements.
- **European Union:** Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011 "Plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food".

The monomers have no migration limits according to the EC directives in force.

The products contain an additive with migration restriction:

- Octadecyl 3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4-hydroxyphenyl)propionate
pm/ref 68320, SML=6mg/kg.





Migration testing has to be performed by the end-user on the final item, according to the expected use conditions, to verify the compliance with the applicable statutory limits. The tests of overall migration are particularly critical for fatty food.

The products do not contain substances authorized as flavourings, nor as direct food additives with restrictions in the applicable EC directives.

We confirm that our mentioned products are manufactured using the good manufacturing practices recommended by Regulation (EC) 2023/2006 and that our quality management system ensure the traceability required by the Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004.

We point out that it is a responsibility of the end users to ensure that materials and articles, manufactured with good manufacturing practice (Regulation (EC) 2023/2006), under the normal or foreseeable conditions of use, do not transfer their constituents to foodstuffs in quantities which could endanger human health and/or bring unacceptable changes in the composition of the foodstuffs or a deterioration in the organoleptic properties (Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004).

Standards and Product Certification
Salvatore Minardi

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This statement is valid three years and replaces those issued earlier.